Robert Armintor

From: "Alma Cremonesi" [redacted]
To: [redacted]

Sent: Friday, July 08, 2005 9:28 AM
Subject: Pride, Apology, etc

Dear Lavenders,

My apologies for engaging in the Cravings debate last night. I should have just kept my mouth shut. Please understand there was nothing personal in that and my sole motivation is protecting the festival from being overcharged and receiving good service so that we can keep our festival thriving.

After more consideration, I think Joe's suggestion that we go to Sencha before the next meeting is a good idea. Paul and I are really broke from our trip to SF and devoting ourselves to the picking of films and booking the films instead of earning. Sencha is even more expensive than Gertrude's. I think perhaps we could plan another dinner get together at perhaps a more reasonably priced place later in the summer. If there are members of the Board who would like to meet at Sencha, let Joe know.

Special Thanks to Pam Brown and Jerry Morris for raising the level of graphics and for accommodating the tight schedule of the festival despite their very busy lives.

We will not be meeting again until July 28 to accommodate some schedules of Board members. We have the Pride Parade beginning at 11:30 at Tejon and Cache La Poudre on Jully 17.

. Please everyone partake in this as we need as many people as possible to help publicize the festival at this crucial event. This is our best opportunity to reach many in the LGBT community and friends. Please wear your new T-shirt to the parade.

Please accept my apologies. Our meetings have been congenial in the past and hopefully will return to a greater level of comfort and congentiality as the summer progresses.

This is the time for us to get our posters out and to work on sponsors. I'm waiting to receive all the screeners from the distributors and prepare press kits for the Indy and Gagette. We can begin PR efforts and heighten our marketing efforts in August. We'll try to have the ticket letter ready to go at the next meeting so that those on the PPGLCC mailing list can take advantage of our Early Bird special.

I look forward to seeing you at the Colorado Springs Gay Pride.

Thank you for all your efforts,

alma

…This Morning's Service, July 17, 2005...
"BGLT Spirit: Celebrating Our Spirituality with Pride"

Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth…Words and deeds of prophetic women and men which powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion, and the transforming power of love.

Gathering Music — Amanda Udis-Kessler

Welcome and Announcements — Wayne King
Centering/Sounding of the Bell
Prelude — Amanda Udis-Kessler

Opening Words — #576 "A Litany… — Susan Wolter

Chalicelighting — #564 "Love is Not Concerned" — Marsha Garcia

*Hymn #298 "Wake Now My Senses" (verses 1,2 & 4) — Marsha & Amanda

Reading — "The Grace of Coming Home" — Susan Wolter